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FOIA Request: 18-03793-F

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Dear Mr. Craven:

This letter acknowledges receipt of your January 17, 2018 request under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552, to the VA Office of Accountability and Whistleblower Protection (OAWP) which was for:

"...2017 annual reports the VA is require3d to produce as part of the statues of the VA Accountability and Whistleblower Protection Act"

Your FOIA request was received in the Office of Accountability and Whistleblower Protection (OAWP) on January 29, 2018, and was assigned the request number indicated above. Please include this request number in all future communications concerning this FOIA request. Based on the information you provided, we have identified you as an "News Media" FOIA Requester. In addition, we have placed your request in the "simple" processing category.

The Office of Accountability and Whistleblower Protection (OAWP) will search for records responsive to your FOIA request gathered or created by OAWP, on or before January 16, 2018.

If you have any questions about this letter you may contact me by phone at (202) 718-7335, or by email at oawpfoiarequests@va.gov.

Sincerely,

Jake Johnson OAWP FOIA Officer